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MBHB Case No. 03-087-A

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Robert D. Groneberg et al.

Serial No.

10/823,372

Filing Date:

April 12, 2004

For: Cyclic Amine Derivatives and Methods

of Use

Examiner: Unassigned

Group Art Unit: 1614

## PETITION TO ACCORD EXPRESS MAIL "DATE IN" AS FILING DATE

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Sir:

Applicants request the correction of the filing date under 37 CFR § 1.10 to accord the Express Mail "Date In" as the filing date of the above referenced application. The application has been accorded the date of receipt of the application with the United States Receiving Office, which differs from the date of deposit of application with the United States Express Mail service number EV 334705585 US.

Attached herewith is a copy of the United States Express Mail Receipt, indicating April 12, 2004 as the "Date In" and therefore, date of deposit under 37 CFR § 1.10. A copy of the postcard, Transmittal letter, and the Express Mail Log used in-house to track packages are also enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees required to Deposit Account No. 13-2490. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: May 11, 2005

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5.	i. Deletion of Inventor(s) Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application  Incorporation by Reference: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is	(Should be specifically itemized)  16. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)  17. A Request for non-publication pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 122(b)(2)(B)(i)  18. Other:			
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Please place the Patent Office receipt stamp hereon and mail to acknowledge receipt of:

- Application Data Sheet (7 pages)
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- 1. We are transmitting herewith the attached
  - a. Petition to Accord Express Mail "Date In" as Filing Date;
  - b. Copy of Transmittal Letter, Postcard, and Express Mail Log;
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- 2. With respect to additional fees:

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